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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Junko YAMAMOTO et al. Conf.: 1749  
Appl. No.: 09/485,298 Group: 1634  
Filed: February 8, 2000 Examiner: A. CHAKRABARTI  
For: METHODS FOR DNA AMPLIFICATION AND KITS  
THEREFOR

LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM  
FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

February 19, 2003  
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Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Reply in the above-identified application.

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- ☒ Petition for two (2) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$410.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$410.00 is(are) enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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**SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER**  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Advisory Action dated December 31, 2002, the due date for response having been extended two (2) months to Sunday, February 16, 2003, by petition herein, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 22, 25, 29, 33, and 36 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.